Common building, well etc., for backward communities.

292. ❋ MR. T. T. KESAVAN SASTRI *(Nominated)*: Will the Government be pleased to state whether they have received petitions from the backward communities praying for help by providing them with a common building, a well and a burial place at Perumbavoor, and if so, the action taken theron?

MR. KAINIKKARA M. PADMANABHA PILLAI: Yes. The Protector of Backward Communities has been asked to take the necessary steps in the matter.

Common buildings for the use of backward communities.

293. ❋ MR. T. T. KESAVAN SASTRI: Will the Government be pleased to state the places in the Southern Division where common buildings have been established for the use of the backward communities in 1121?

MR. KAINIKKARA M. PADMANABHA PILLAI: No common building has been constructed in the Southern Division during 1121.

Burial grounds for the use of the Backward Communities.

294. ❋ MR. T. T. KESAVAN SASTRI: Will the Government be pleased to state the places in the Central Division where burial grounds for the backward communities have been sanctioned in 1121?

MR. KAINIKKARA M. PADMANABHA PILLAI: Saktikulangara in Quilon Taluk and Nedumpuram pakuthy in Tiruvalla Taluk.

Common buildings and burial grounds for the use of Backward Communities.

295. ❋ MR. T. T. KESAVAN SASTRI: Will the Government be pleased to state the places in the Northern Division where common buildings and burial grounds for the use of the backward communities have been sanctioned in 1121?

MR. KAINIKKARA M. PADMANABHA PILLAI: No common buildings have been provided in the Northern Division in 1121. Two burial grounds at Kottuvally and Perumpadana in Parur taluk, have been sanctioned during 1121.

Provision of lands to owners of lands acquired at Perunna without habitation.

296. ❋ MR. K. T. MICHAEL *(Changanacherry* cum *Peermade)*: Will the Government be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government had invited applications for lands for habitation from such owners of lands whose homesteads have been acquired at Perunna and who are without homesteads;

(b) how many persons applied accordingly; and

(c) how many were provided with homesteads?

MR. KAINIKKARA M. PADMANABHA PILLAI: *(a)* Yes.

(b) Six.

(c) Steps are in progress to provide house sites to all those rendered homeless.

MR. K. T. MICHAEL: May I know the number of people who have been rendered homeless?

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MR. KAINIKKARA M. PADMANABHA PILLAI: The number of individuals?

MR. K. T. MICHAEL: The number of people rendered homeless?

MR. KAINIKKARA M. PADMANABHA PILLAI: I claim notice.

MR. K. T. MICHAEL: Can the honourable member inform us the number of families rendered homeless?

MR. KAINIKKARA M. PADMANABHA PILLAI: I cannot say.

MR. K. T. MICHAEL: Let me know whether homesteads will be provided for those who have not already made applications?

MR. KAINIKKARA M. PADMANABHA PILLAI: Provided they apply.

MR. K. T. MICHAEL: Let me know where Government propose to give homesteads?

MR. KAINIKKARA M. PADMANABHA PILLAI: As far as possible near their homes.

MR. K. T. MICHAEL: May I know whether the people will be consulted as to the location they require?

MR. KAINIKKARA M. PADMANABHA PILLAI: Certainly, Sir.

MR. P. K. KURIAKOSE *(Muvattupuzha* cum *Devicolam)*: May I know whether any principle is being followed in giving them the lands?

MR. KAINIKKARA M. PADMANABHA PILLAI: No principle; only convenience.

MR. P. K. KURIAKOSE: Will they be given lands equal in value?

MR. KAINIKKARA M. PADMANABHA PILLAI: That will depend upon their convenience.

MR. P. K. KURIAKOSE: Will they be given lands equal in area?

MR. KAINIKKARA M. PADMANABHA PILLAI: It all depends on the demands put forward by the parties concerned. One may require only 10 cents of land and the remainder of the compensation in the form of money, another may require lands for the full value. Therefore all depends on individual cases.

MR. A. P. UDAYABHANU *(Karunagapally* cum *Kartigapally)*: May I know whether it is the practice of the Government to provide people who are rendered homeless with homes, before they are evicted?

MR. KAINIKKARA M. PADMANABHA PILLAI: There is no such practice.

MR. A. P. UDAYABHANU: If that practice is not adhered to, will it not cause hardship for the people who are evicted?

MR. KAINIKKARA M. PADMANABHA PILLAI: That is a matter of opinion.

MR. P. K. KURIAKOSE: May I know whether lands along the roadside are more valuable than those lying inside?

MR. KAINIKKARA M. PADMANABHA PILLAI: That again is a matter of opinion.

Private Management Schools.

297. * MR. K. G. KESAVAN NAIR *(Changanacherry* cum *Peermade)*: Will the Government be pleased to state

(a) whether there is in existence any private management school within the areas wherein the compulsory primary education system has been introduced;

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